





# Fiscal Year 2021 and School Year 2020-21 Grant Competitions Summary

The Office of Out of School Time Grants and Youth Outcomes (OST Office), located in the Office of the Deputy Mayor for Education (DME) and United Way of the National Capital Area thank all the organizations that applied for Fiscal Year 2021 (FY21) and School Year 2020-21 (SY20-21) Out of School Time grant competitions and those that requested continuation awards. Altogether there were over 116 organizations that submitted applications or continuation requests. The quality of the applications made for a highly competitive process. The number of excellent programs and organizations that applied was impressive and we appreciate and recognize the contributions of every organization for their continued work with children and youth across the District of Columbia.

Learn24 is a network of before- and after-school and summer programs, also called out-of-school-time (OST) programs, to ensure youth in the District of Columbia have access to quality educational and enrichment activities beyond the school day. In October 2017, the DC Policy Center released the *Needs Assessment on Out-of-School Time Programs in the District of Columbia*<sup>1</sup> providing details about the gap in program options by Ward.

# 30% - 20% -

Distribution School Year 2020-21 Programming Need, by Ward

### **Highlights**

- In total, \$9.38 million will be awarded to 92 nonprofit organizations that propose to provide services to over 11,000 District of Columbia children and youth during the upcoming grant period.
- Of the total:
  - \$1,951,746 will be awarded to 21 organizations receiving SY20-21 OST grants. These organizations propose to serve approximately 2,500 youth.
  - \$125,000 will be awarded to 5 organizations receiving SY20-21 Small Nonprofit OST grants and propose to serve 150 youth.
  - \$1,035,676 will be awarded to 9 organizations receiving Year Round grants. These grantees received School Year 2019-20 and Summer 2020 grants and applied for the FY21 Invitation Only Year Round grant. The grantees will provide afterschool and summer 2021 camps to serve approximately 777 youth.
  - \$6,269,944 in continuation grants will be awarded to 57 organizations. Of the 57 organizations, 17 are small non-profits and 24 are Year Round grantees. These organizations propose to serve 7,577 youth.
- Eight (8) organizations are new grantees that have not been previously funded by the OST Office.
- Three grant competitions were released on June 18, 2020 and applications were received by July 16, 2020.

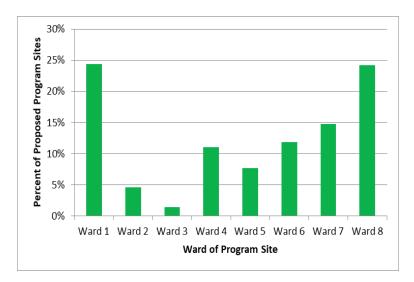
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Taylor, Yesim Sayen and Zickuhr, Kathryn (2017). Needs Assessment of Out-of-School Time Programs in the District of Columbia. Washington, D.C.: DC Policy Center. Retrieved from <a href="https://www.dcpolicycenter.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/FINAL-OST-NEEDS-ASSESSMENT.OCTOBER2017-1.pdf">https://www.dcpolicycenter.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/FINAL-OST-NEEDS-ASSESSMENT.OCTOBER2017-1.pdf</a>



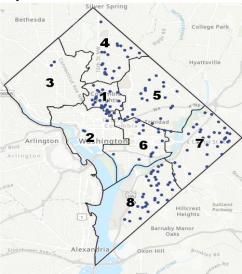




# Percent of FY 2021 and SY 2020-21 Proposed Program Sites, by Ward



# Map of Proposed Program Site Locations, by Ward



# **Overview of Grant Competitions**

All proposals were reviewed and scored by three impartial reviewers using a rubric which was available to all applicants.

- 1) School Year 2020-21 Out of School Time Grant Competition
  - 45 applications were received for a total reguest of \$4,206,942.
  - 21 applicants will be awarded grants for a total of \$1,951,746.
  - Applications that scored 73 or greater out of 84 points were awarded a grant.
  - Grant amounts requested ranged from \$37,046 to \$100,000.
- 2) School Year 2020-21 Small Nonprofit Out of School Time Grant Competition
  - 5 applications were received for a total request of \$125,000.
  - 5 applicants will be awarded grants for a total of \$125,000.
  - Applications that scored 24 or greater out of 40 points were awarded a grant.
  - Each applicant requested \$25,000.
- 3) Fiscal Year 2021 Year Round Out of School Time Invitation Only Grant Competition
  - 9 applications were received for a total request of \$1,041,676.
  - 9 applicants will be awarded grants for a total of \$1,035,676.
  - Applications that scored 24 or greater out of 52 points were awarded a grant.
  - Grant amounts requested ranged from \$43,380 to \$162,300.
- 4) Continuation Grants (School Year 2018-19, School Year 2019-20 and FY20 Year Round)
  - 63 continuation applications were received for a total request of \$6,603,072.
  - 57 organizations will receive \$6,269,944 as OST continuation recipients.
  - Organizations could not receive more grant funds than they had received in FY20.
  - 16 organizations will receive \$1,282,377 as School Year 2020-21 continuation recipients.
  - 17 organizations will receive \$423,320 as Small Nonprofit School Year continuation recipients.
  - 24 organizations will receive \$4,564,247 as Year Round continuation recipients.
  - Continuation reguests ranged from \$23,3200 to \$218,250.







### **List of Grantees**

## School Year 2020-21 Out of School Time Grant Competition

- 1. After-School All-Stars DC
- 2. BEST Kids
- 3. Big Brothers Big Sisters of the National Capital Area\*
- 4. Capital Partners for Education\*
- 5. Children of Mine Youth Center\*
- 6. Common Good City Farm
- 7. Critical Exposure
- 8. Dance Institute of Washington (The)
- 9. E.L. Haynes Public Charter School
- 10. Education Plus 2
- 11. GALA Hispanic Theatre

- 12. Global Kids
- 13. Higher Achievement
- 14. Latino Student Fund (The)
- 15. Many Languages One Voice\*
- 16. Mentors of Minorities in Education
- 17. National Center for Children and Families
- 18. One Common Unity
- 19. Planned Parenthood of Metropolitan Washington, DC
- 20. Reading Partners
- 21. Special Olympics District of Columbia\*

# School Year 2020-21 Small Nonprofit Out of School Time Grant Competition

- Bancroft Elementary Parent Teacher
  Organization
- 2. Children's Legacy Theatre\*

- 3. DC Strings Workshop
- 4. EnventU\*
- 5. Tech Turn Up\*

# Fiscal Year 2020 Year Round Invitation Only OST Grant Competition

- 1. A Greater Washington Fields of Dreams
- 2. Asian American Youth Leadership Empowerment and Development
- 3. College Tribe
- 4. Helping Our People Empowerment Group (The)
- 5. Little Lights Urban Ministries
- 6. NOMIS Youth Network
- 7. Sasha Bruce Youthwork
- 8. United Planning Organization
- 9. Washington School for Girls (The)

## Continuation Grantees - School Year 2020-21 Out of School Time Continuation Grant

- 1. BUILD Metro DC
- 2. Capital City Public Charter School
- 3. Center for Inspired Teaching
- 4. City Blossoms
- 5. College Success Foundation
- 6. DC Youth Orchestra Program
- 7. Do the Write Thing
- 8. For Love of Children

- FreshFarm Food Prints
- 10. Friends of Kenilworth Aquatic Gardens
- 11. Homeless Children's Playtime Project
- 12. Maya Angelou Public Charter School
- 13. Men Can Stop Rape
- 14. Multicultural Career Intern Program
- 15. Peace Thru Culture
- 16. Woodland Tigers (The)

# Continuation Grantees - School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit Out of School Time Continuation Grant

- 1. Amala Lives
- 2. Amy Jacques Garvey Institute
- 3. Arts for Our Children
- 4. Beta Omega Social Services
- 5. East of the River Boys & Girls Steelband
- 6. Ethiopian Community Center
- 7. Fihankra Akoma Ntoaso
- 8. Healthy Living
- 9. Hung Tao Choy Mei Leadership Institute

- 10. Institute for African Man Development
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- 11. Metropolitan Alliance for Youth Advancement Foundation (The)
- 12. Northeast Performing Arts Group
- 13. Oye Palaver Hut
- 14. Sewing Opportunity Never Ending
- 15. SOUL
- 16. Urban Learning and Teaching Center
- 17. Washington Jazz Arts Institute







# Continuation Grantees - Fiscal Year 2021 Year Round Invitation Only Continuation Grant

- 1. Beacon House
- 2. Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Washington
- 3. Children & Charity International
- 4. City Kids Wilderness Project
- 5. CityDance
- 6. Community Services Foundation
- 7. Dance Place/DC Wheel Productions
- 8. DC SCORES
- 9. Eagle Academy Public Charter School
- 10. East River Family Strengthening Collaborative
- 11. Exodus Treatment Center
- 12. Fishing School (The)

- 13. Horton's Kids
- 14. Jubilee Housing
- 15. Kid Power
- 16. Latin American Youth Center
- 17. Musicianship (The)
- 18. Project Create
- 19. Shaw Community Center
- 20. Sitar Arts Center
- 21. Urban Alliance Foundation (The)
- 22. Washington Tennis and Education Foundation
- 23. Youth Entrepreneur Institute
- 24. Youth Organizations United to Rise Community Center

#### Questions

Contact the OST Office at Learn24@dc.gov with questions about the grant process.

#### **Additional Information**

- Stay informed by receiving the Learn24 newsletters that include grant opportunities, resources, and research by visiting Learn24.dc.gov.
- OST Office releases grant competitions twice yearly.

<sup>\*</sup> new grantee